

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Planning Department – Millennium Development Goals (MDG) – Sanction and release an amount of Rs.6.90 lakhs to Centre for Economic and Social Studies for conducting Millennium Development Goals (MDG) workshops at Centre for Economic and Social Studies on 30th & 31st January, 2014 and 1st February, 2014 - Orders - Issued.

PLANNING (XXI) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 145

Dated:04-02-2014.
Read the following:-

1. Lr..No.CESS/532/2013-14, from the Director,CESS,Hyd, dt.03.01.2014.
- 2.G.O.Rt.No.270 from Finance (Expr. GAD-II) Dept.,dt.30.01.2014.

ORDER:

The Millennium Declaration of the United Nations set 2015 as the time-line for achieving most of the Millennium Development Goals (MDGs) that provide quantitative benchmarks for eradication of extreme poverty, hunger, illiteracy and diseases; achieving gender equality and empowerment of women, improvement in mental health, reduce child mortality, ensure environmental sustainability and global partnership for development.

2. As the year 2015 is approaching fast and is less than a year away, India and along with State Governments are committed to achieve MDGs within stipulated time. The Central Statistical Organization (CSO), Ministry of Statistics and Programme Implementation (MOSPI), Government of India as the Nodal Agency played a key role and prepared the India country report on MDGs in 2005, 2009 and 2011, which indicated that an ideal exercise with MDGs indicators needs to capture the depth and spread of the catchment of population that forms the problem spheres with reference to State and district levels.

3. The Planning department, Government of Andhra Pradesh along with Centre for Economic and Social Studies (CESS), Hyderabad, UNICEF field office for Andhra Pradesh and Karnataka are analyzing the status of Millennium Development Goals in Andhra Pradesh.

4. In this regard, the Director, CESS vide reference 1st cited, proposed to conduct Regional level workshops on 30th & 31st January, 2014 and 1st February, 2014 for "preparation of Andhra Pradesh State MDG Repot" to demystifying the MDG targets and to understand the emerging challenges to be overcome to reach the targets by 2015 and identify the post 2015 agenda and by calling key departments, civil society organizations, non-government organizations, researchers, academicians and media and disseminate the results and have discussed on each one of the MDG indicators. He also requested to release an amount of Rs.6.90 lakhs towards State contribution for conduct of these workshops.

5. In the reference 2nd read above the Finance (Expr.GAD II) Department have issued Revised Budget Release Orders (BRO) for an amount of Rs.48.84 lakhs under Research Scheme during the financial year 2013-14.

6. After careful consideration, Government hereby accord sanction and release an amount of Rs.6.90 Lakhs (Rupees six lakhs ninety thousand only) to the Director Centre for Economic and Social Studies (CESS), Hyderabad for conducting 3 Regional workshops on from 30.01.2014 to 01.02.2014 under "Research Scheme".

7. The amount sanctioned at para 5 above shall be debited to the following head of account,3451-00-M.H3451-00-101-11-05-310-312 Grants-in-aid under "Research Scheme".

8. The Director CESS is requested to furnish the details of actual expenditure incurred immediately after completion of regional workshops.

9. The Assistant Secretary to the Government, Planning (Claims) Department shall draw and disburse the amount sanctioned at para 5 above in favour of the Director, Centre for Economic and Social Studies, Hyderabad account no.460807429, Indian Bank, Begumpet Branch (IFC Code:IDIB000 B057, MICR Code:500019006) Hyderabad-500016.

10. The Director of Treasuries and Accounts, Hyderabad is requested to issue necessary authorization to Deputy Pay and Accounts Officer, Secretariat branch, Hyderabad for the amount sanctioned above.

11. This order does not require the concurrence of the Finance Department as per the rules on the subject.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

**S.P.TUCKER
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT**

To
The Director,
Centre for Economic and Social Studies (CESS) Hyd.
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Begumpet,
Hyderabad.

Copy to:
The Assistant Secretary to Govt., (Claims) Hyderabad.
The Accountant General, A.P, Hyderabad.
The Pay and Accounts Officer, Hyderabad.
The Director Treasuries and Accounts, Hyderabad.
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SECTION OFFICER